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GOVERNOR'S BUDGET OFFICE

Texas Medical Board P.O. Box 2018 Austin, Texas 78768

Re: Report of lack of informed consent by Dr. Robert Prince

to Reg-Licensing

## Gentlemen:

A woman contacted The Heidi Group to report her visit to Northpark Medical Group, 8363 Meadows Road, Dallas, Texas 75231, 214-890-0015 in January, 2012.

When she went in for the sonogram/informed consent, she was put in a room with six other women to view a video. She does not remember Dr. Robert Prince doing the sonogram but she is clear that she was not asked or allowed to hear the heartbeat. She paid \$100 for the sonogram so she asked for a copy of it. The clinic was very reluctant, but finally, upon her demand, they gave her a photo copy.

She did not have the extra \$100 to be put to sleep so they gave her "Nubain" but she "felt everything". During the procedure, the nurse told the doctor the patient's blood pressure was "going up, going up. Do you want to stop?" Dr. Prince said "No, not high enough yet" as he continued the procedure.

Dr. Prince told her not to go to bed but to keep moving. She followed his instructions and went to Wal-Mart where she fainted.

Patient refused to go back to the clinic for her free check-up. When she went to her physician, the pregnancy test was positive. Still pregnant, she called Northpark for a refund but they refused, but offered to do a second abortion. Patient is carrying to term, due the end of August, 2012.

Thank you for attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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